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February 13, 2008

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Dear Sir/Madam,

Your refund request for 10711859 in the amount of \$1,350.00 has been denied.

This is in response to your letter submitted on November 23, 2007, wherein you requested a refund of \$1,350.00.

The request for refund is DENIED.

After thorough inspection of U.S. Patent and Trademark Office physical records and Revenue Accounting Management financial records, it is determined that you are not entitled to a refund of \$1,350.00.

According to our records serial number 10/711859 was filed on October 13, 2004, at the time of filing applicant had a total of 39 claims with 5 independent claims. Applicant was charged \$171.00 for 19 claims over the allowed 20, and charged \$88.00 for 2 additional independent claims over the allowed 3. On August 22, 2007 applicant filed a amendment in response to a restriction requirement. The amendment had a total of 58 claims with 7 independent claims, applicant should have been charged \$200 for 2 additional independent claims and \$475.00 for 19 additional claims over the 39 originally filed. Applicant was over charged in the amount of \$675.00, therefore the \$675.00 will be refunded to applicant's deposit account. Applicant is advised that withdrawn claims 23-39 are still pending in the application until they are cancelled.

Sincerely,

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